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1. Two trains carrying engineer units passed through GOTHHA (M 51/J 06) and proceeded towards OHRDRUF (M 51/J 15). About thirty motor boats and pontoons were observed on the trains.

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2. a. A train carrying four "T 34" tanks, eight to ten trucks and troops on six boxcars passed through ERFURT (M 51/J 36) during the evening and proceeded towards WEIMAR (M 51/J 57).

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- b. Another train of about 20 boxcars and 11 flatcars carrying trucks passed through ERFURT and proceeded towards WEIMAR.

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From previous information it was assumed that component units of the Third Gds Mecz Army (Cadre) were occasionally participating in maneuvers conducted in Thuringia; possibly only as observers.

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